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For:	METI	HODS AND VECTO	ORS FOR	MAKING KNOCKOUT ANIMALS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop MISSING PARTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Prior to taking up the above-identified application for examination, please amend the claims as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on the page entitled "Amendments to the Specification."

Remarks begin on the page entitled "Remarks."